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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

AN ACT

To repeal section 168.081, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to certification requirements for pre-kindergarten teachers.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 168.081, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 168.081, to read as follows:

168.081. [After September 1, 1988,] No person without a valid Missouri certificate shall:

- (1) Engage in the practice of teaching or the performance of education duties in grades [kindergarten] **pre-kindergarten** through twelve in any public school in the state;
- (2) Act as a school administrator in any public school district, unless such person obtains a temporary administrator certificate pursuant to section 168.083.

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